

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 September 15 2014 to 0600 September 16 2014



Boles Incident, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Southern California Excessive Heat Event, Multiple Counties**

### **SITUATION OVERVIEW:**

**Phase II Criteria of the Heat Plan has been met.** The National Weather Service has issued Excessive Heat Watches and Warnings for portions of Southern California through this week.

### **Updated Forecast Overview**

- **Prolonged period of very hot weather across most of far southern California through September 16**
- Near record breaking high temperatures
- Warm overnight temperatures adding to health threat
- Critical fire weather conditions for Los Angeles, Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties through Monday
- Strong rip current threat Monday-Tuesday. With hot weather, lifeguard rescues could be elevated due to people traveling to the beaches to cool off.
- Showers and thunderstorms likely especially for the coastal mountains, inland valleys and desert areas Wednesday-Thursday which may lead to localized flash flooding
- Slowly moderating temperatures by Wednesday

### **Actions**

- Cal OES is disseminating excessive heat information through:
  - Daily Weather Outlook
  - Cal OES Daily Situation Report
  - State Weather Situational Awareness Briefing to stakeholders

A conference call was conducted Sunday, September 14, 2014 with NWS, State Agencies/Departments and weather event stakeholders.

### **Resources**

- Heath Contingency Plan for Excessive Heat Emergencies (June 2014):  
<http://www.calema.ca.gov/PlanningandPreparedness/Pages/Heat.aspx>
- NWS Heat Impact Levels HIL (Experimental product created by NWS). The goal is to provide advanced localized information about excessive heat events. The Heat Impact Level graphics provide a concise way to view where and when heat might have the greatest potential impacts. The graphic is the result of combining local climate information with the 7-day forecast:  
<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/heat/?page=gmap&day=4>
- Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories: [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

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Southern California Excessive Heat Event, Multiple Counties

## **Dangerously Hot With Extreme Fire Weather Conditions Through Tuesday**

### **Heat Highlights:**

**Excessive Heat  
Warning**  
*For Heat-Related Illness  
Dangers*

**When:**

- Through 7 PM Tuesday

**Where:**

- Los Angeles County  
Valleys
- Santa Monica Mountains
- Ventura County Valleys

**During Hot Weather-**

- *Know the signs and symptoms of heat-related illness and watch for them in yourself and others*
- *If possible, avoid outdoor activity during the heat of the day*
- *Check on neighbors and the elderly*
- *Never, ever, leave people or pets unattended in a vehicle*
- *Wear light weight, loose fitting clothing*
- *Drink plenty of water - provide water to pets and children*

Photo by P. Leonard

### **Fire Highlights:**

**Red Flag Warning**  
*For Extreme Fire Behavior*

**When:**

- Through 9 PM Tuesday

**Where:**

- Los Angeles Co.  
Mountains
- Ventura Co. Mountains
- Santa Barbara Co.  
Mountains

► Other areas will have  
elevated fire danger



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**Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

Happy Camp District, Klamath National Forest

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of [09/16/14 at 0550 hours](#):

FRA

- [113,158](#) acres, 55% contained
- Type 1 Team in command
- Expected Containment: 09/20/14
- Threatened Structures: 91 Single Residences, 1 Multiple Residence, 1 Mixed Commercial/Residential, 3 Nonresidential Commercial Properties, 42 Other Minor Structures
- Damaged Structures: 2 Other Minor Structures
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Single Residences, 4 Other Minor Structures
- Planned actions: Provide structure defense as necessary. Mop-up 100% around structures.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

**July Complex, Siskiyou County**

4 miles southeast of Sawyers Bar

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of [09/16/14 at 0559 hours](#):

FRA

- [50,042](#) acres, 78% contained
- Type 2 Team in command
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Other Minor Structures
- Patrol and mop up inside the line
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

**Gulch Vegetation Fire, Shasta County**

Backbone Ridge, Jones Valley, 15 miles NE of Redding

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/16/14 at 0504 hours](#):

SRA

- 1,375 acres, 96% contained
- Type 3 IC in command
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 4 Other Minor Structures
- Planned actions include; continue building and improving direct line, mop-up, patrol and suppression repair. Continue to demobilize resources.
- FMAG applied for and placed on hold



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

### Bald 3, Vegetation Fire, Humboldt County

Hoopla, Hoopa Valley Reservation

Per CAL FIRE and ICS-209 as of 09/16/14 at 0539 hours:

FRA / HIA

- 210 acres, 95% contained.
- No expected fire movement.
- Threatened Structures: None

### Black Incident, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County

Black Bart Trail, North of Lake Mendocino

Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/16/14 at 0600 hours:

SRA

- 403 acres, 85% contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 5 Single Residences, 5 Other Minor Structures
- No further spread expected.
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned to the incident.

### Dog Bar Incident, Vegetation Fire, Nevada County

Dog Bar Road, southeast of Grass Valley, Nevada County.

Per Cal Fire, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/16/14 at 0552 hours:

SRA

- 247 acres, 90% contained
- No expected fire spread
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Single Residences, 3 Other Minor Structures
- An FMAG request has been received and has been placed on hold.
- One (1) Cal OES Fire Chief is assigned to the incident.

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## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES**

### **King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado County**

King of the Mountain Road, east of Pollock Pines

SRA

Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Duty Officers as of 09/16/14 at 0557 hours:

- 11,570 acres, 5% contained
- Unified Command with CAL FIRE and El Dorado National Forest
- Threatened Structures: 500 Single Residences
- Fire has spotted and is established on the north side of the American River
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

### **Boles Incident, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

City of Weed, Siskiyou County

SRA

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/16/14 at 0620 hours:

- 375 acres, brush, 20% contained
- CAL FIRE IMT-4 (Durham) has been activated.
- Threatened Structures: 1,000 Single Residences, 100 Nonresidential Commercial Properties
- Destroyed Structures: 150 Single Residences
- Impact to Roseburg Saw Mill property and Weed Elementary School is reported.
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received by Cal OES and approved by FEMA.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES**

### **Silverado Vegetation Fire-Orange County**

Silverado Canyon Road in the Cleveland National Forest, Orange County

Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/16/14 at 0541 hours](#):

FRA

- 968 acres, [91%](#) contained
- Threatened Structures: None
- Per CUEA there is no threat to the power grid.
- Unified Command between the Cleveland National Forest and the Orange County Fire Authority.
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief assigned.

### **Meadow Vegetation Fire – Yosemite National Park, Mariposa County**

Moraine Dome, East of Little Yosemite Valley, Yosemite National Park.

Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Duty Officers as of [09/16/14 at 0613 hours](#):

FRA/YNP

- 4,772 acres, 80% contained
- Type 2 Team in command
- Threatened Structures: None
- Continue to construct and improve direct fire line where needed.

### **Courtney Incident, Vegetation Fire, Madera County**

Courtney Lane at 7 Hills Road, Oakhurst

Per CAL FIRE and Cal OES Duty Officers as of [09/16/14 at 0548 hours](#):

SRA

- 320 acres, [40%](#) contained
- Threatened Structures: 400 Single Residences
- Damaged Structures: [4](#) Single Residences, [6](#) Other Minor Structures
- Destroyed Structures: [33](#) Single Residences, [28](#) Other Minor Structures
- A Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief and a Cal OES Law Enforcement Deputy Chief are assigned.
- The FMAG (Fire Management Assistance Grant) request for the Courtney Fire was approved by FEMA at 2008 hours on 09/14/14 (Declaration Number FM-5078).
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **ACTIVE WEATHER WARNINGS, WATCHES and ADVISORIES:**

- [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)



# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Hurricane Odile, Eastern Pacific Ocean**

Hurricane Odile has been downgraded to a very high end Category 1 hurricane Monday afternoon, 12 hours after making landfall at the tip of the Baja California peninsula. Odile is expected to be downgraded to a tropical storm by Tuesday morning. According to the Servicio Meteorologico Nacional (Mexico's government weather service), strong torrential rains are expected in Baja California, Sonora, Nayarit, Jalisco, Durango, Colima, Chihuahua and Michoacan over the next several days.

- The main impacts for Mexico will be prolonged heavy rainfall, gusty winds, and flash flooding over the next 48 hours. Estimates are in excess of 5 inches for a large portion of Baja California and coastal Sonora Mexico south of Puerto Penasco.
- The storm track is farther east than Norbert was and is not expected to bring significant hazards to CA.
- California will remain outside the primary threat area for this system. While showers and thunderstorms are forecast for much of southeast CA and the southern Sierra, amounts are not expected to exceed 0.75 inches but isolated heavier amounts in excess of an inch are possible in the most intense storms.

## **Cal OES Southern Activity**

The following information has been received from Cal OES Southern Region, Operational Area Representatives:

Imperial County - Imperial is monitoring the weather and expect to be able to handle any activities that may need addressing.

San Diego - San Diego is monitoring NWS and is working with their County Flood Control specialists (they have a staffer, Allen Rand, which takes the NWS information and makes localized predictions for them). They have no other current activity but this may change depending on what happens in the next day or so. They have burn areas they are monitoring.

Inyo - Inyo had not heard that the OA might be getting rougher weather. Today's presentation was sent to Kelley Williams. They are looking forward to tomorrow's forecast out of Reno, which they will use for planning and preparation. They will keep us apprised of any unmet needs.

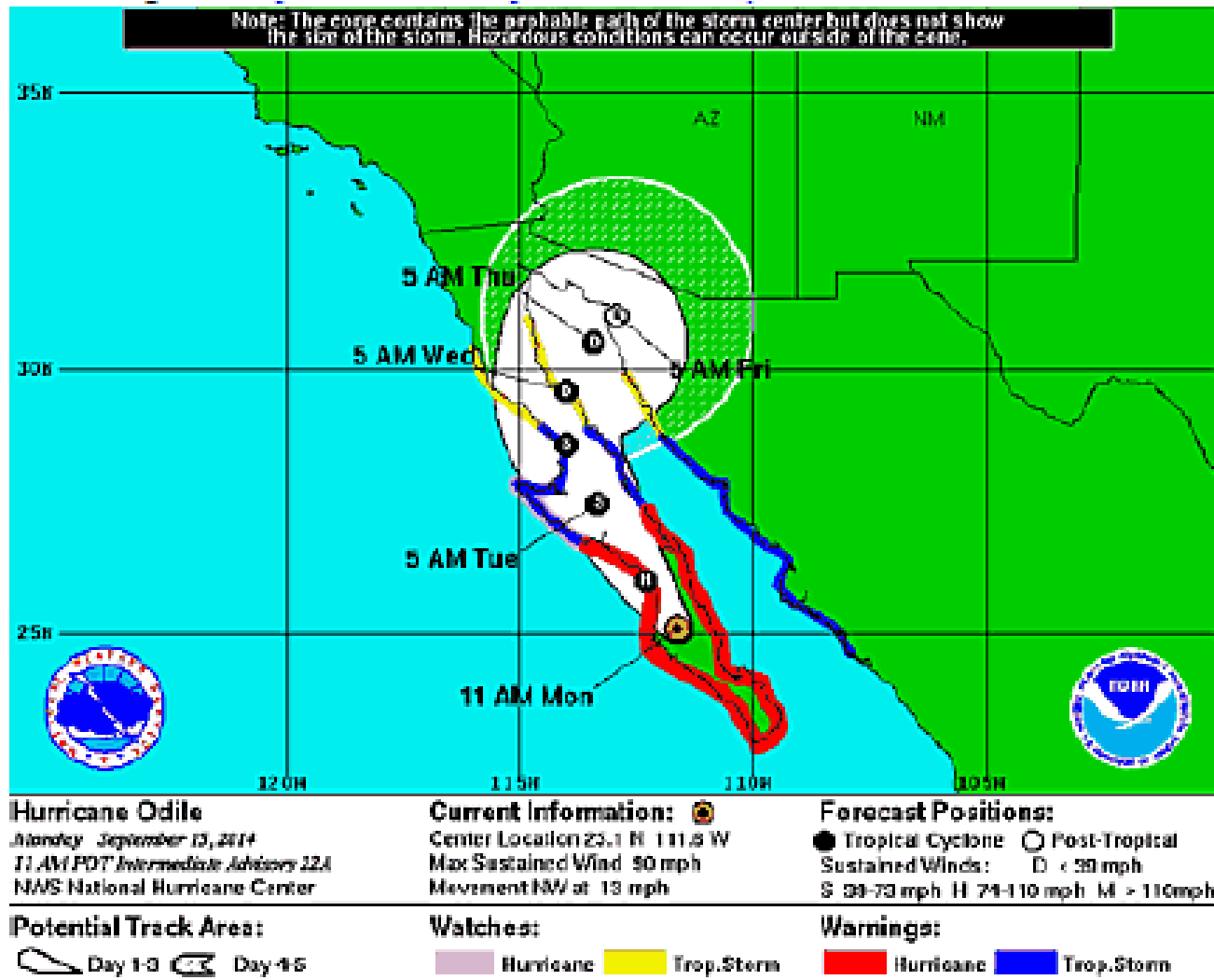
Orange - Orange County is meeting with county agencies this afternoon to strategize recent burn area vulnerabilities in the Silverado Canyon area. Other preparatory measures may be recommended at the meeting.

San Bernardino - The county is prepared with pre-positioning of resources as well as prepared to hold conference calls with impacted agencies as necessary.

Riverside - The county is pre-positioning sand bags at Fire Stations and monitoring weather and keeping their cities informed of any updates to the weather pattern.

Southern Region continues to reach out to the OA's for updates as the storm approaches. The Southern REOC has prepared a staffing pattern should the need arise to activate.

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## Latest Forecast Track of Hurricane Odile



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# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

An approaching low pressure system over the eastern Pacific will bring a chance for rain showers Wednesday through Thursday. Warm and dry weather will return over the weekend as high pressure builds over northern California.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

A gradual cooling trend will continue over inland areas today ahead of an approaching trough. This system will bring a chance of showers to our area late Wednesday into Thursday. Shower chances then end and temperatures rebound for the upcoming weekend.

### **CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY**

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

Temperatures will cool to below normal later this week with a chance of showers and thunderstorms returning to the region later on Wednesday into Thursday.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

High pressure over the region will give way to an approaching low pressure system. Temperatures will fall to near normal for the latter part of the week with a slight chance of mountain and desert thunderstorms Wednesday through Friday.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

A ridge of high pressure and weak onshore flow will result in very hot weather through midweek, especially for areas away from the immediate coast. There is a slight chance of thunderstorms for midweek due to remnant moisture from Hurricane Odile, mainly for mountains and deserts. Temperatures will return to near normal late in the week as a trough of low pressure approaches from the west.

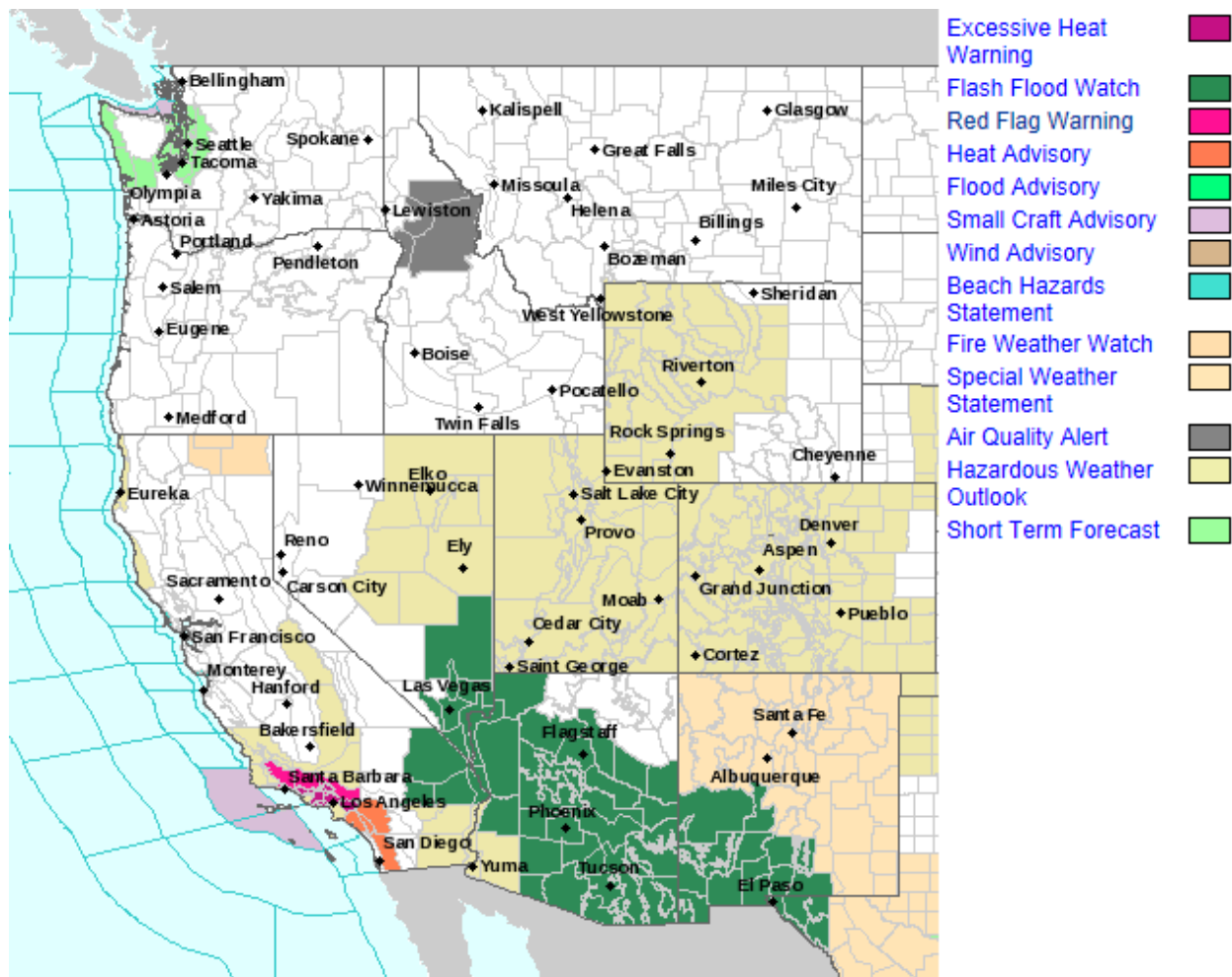
#### **Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

Moisture from Tropical Storm Odile will continue to spread northward through Wednesday elevating the chance for showers and thunderstorms across southern California. Some of the storms may produce heavy rainfall and there will be a threat of flash flooding, mainly during the afternoon and evenings near the mountains. There will not be much relief from the heat and humidity until Thursday when a trough of low pressure brings cooling and drying from the northwest. Isolated showers and thunderstorms are possible into Friday over the mountains and deserts, and then partly cloudy weather with much more seasonal temperatures for the upcoming weekend.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Moisture will continue to increase across the area today as Tropical Storm Odile approaches the region. There will be an elevated risk of heavy rain and flooding across the area through late week before drier air returns by the weekend.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Sep, 16th 2014 at 5:43:43 am MDT



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels:**

### **National Preparedness Level 2**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>



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- Continue aggressive action on all spot fires across Scott River Road and Scott River from Swanson Gulch and McGuffy Creek. Direct attack will be utilized whenever possible. Structure defense in that area and Mill Creek is in place. Mop-up 100% around structures.
- Total Personnel – 1,381

## **Emergency Management**

### **Evacuations**

- Mandatory Evacuations:
  - Scott River Road from Bridge Flat to the intersection of Hwy. 96.
- Evacuation Advisories:
  - All areas of Mill Creek Road five (5) miles east of Scott River Road.
  - Highway 96 from the Klamath River Bridge ½ mile west of Grider Road/Walker Creek Road to Scott River Road . This includes both sides of Hwy 96 and the community of Hamburg.
  - Area between Scott Bar Post Office at 27233 Scott River Road to Mile Marker 25 on Scott River Road
  - North and south side of Scott River road between Bridge Flat and Joyland Gulch.
- Currently, there has been no request for LE Mutual Aid; Siskiyou Sheriff's Office, CHP, and US Forest Service LEO personnel, are assigned to Evacuation Advisories/Orders, security and road closure

### **Power/Electrical/Utility Problems:**

- Flumes providing water to the community of Hamburg (Siskiyou OA) - approximate population 80 - were reported burned by the Happy Camp Complex Fire. Immediate water needs are being met through bottled water donations. Temporary repairs have been made and water is back in the system.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Continued)**

### **Shelters**

- An evacuation center has been established at the Karuk Tribe's Senior Nutrition Center located at 64101 Second Avenue, Happy Camp.

### **Health and Medical**

- A Clean Air Respite Center is located at the Family Resource Center at 11920 Main St., Ft. Jones. It will be open during the week from 0900 – 1700 hours. A clean air respite Center has been activated at the Karuk Tribe's Senior Nutrition Center located at 64101 Second avenue in Happy Camp, 0800 - 1700.
- A Health Emergency has been declared as a result of this Complex.

### **Road Closures**

- China Grade Road is open to residents only.

### **Activations**

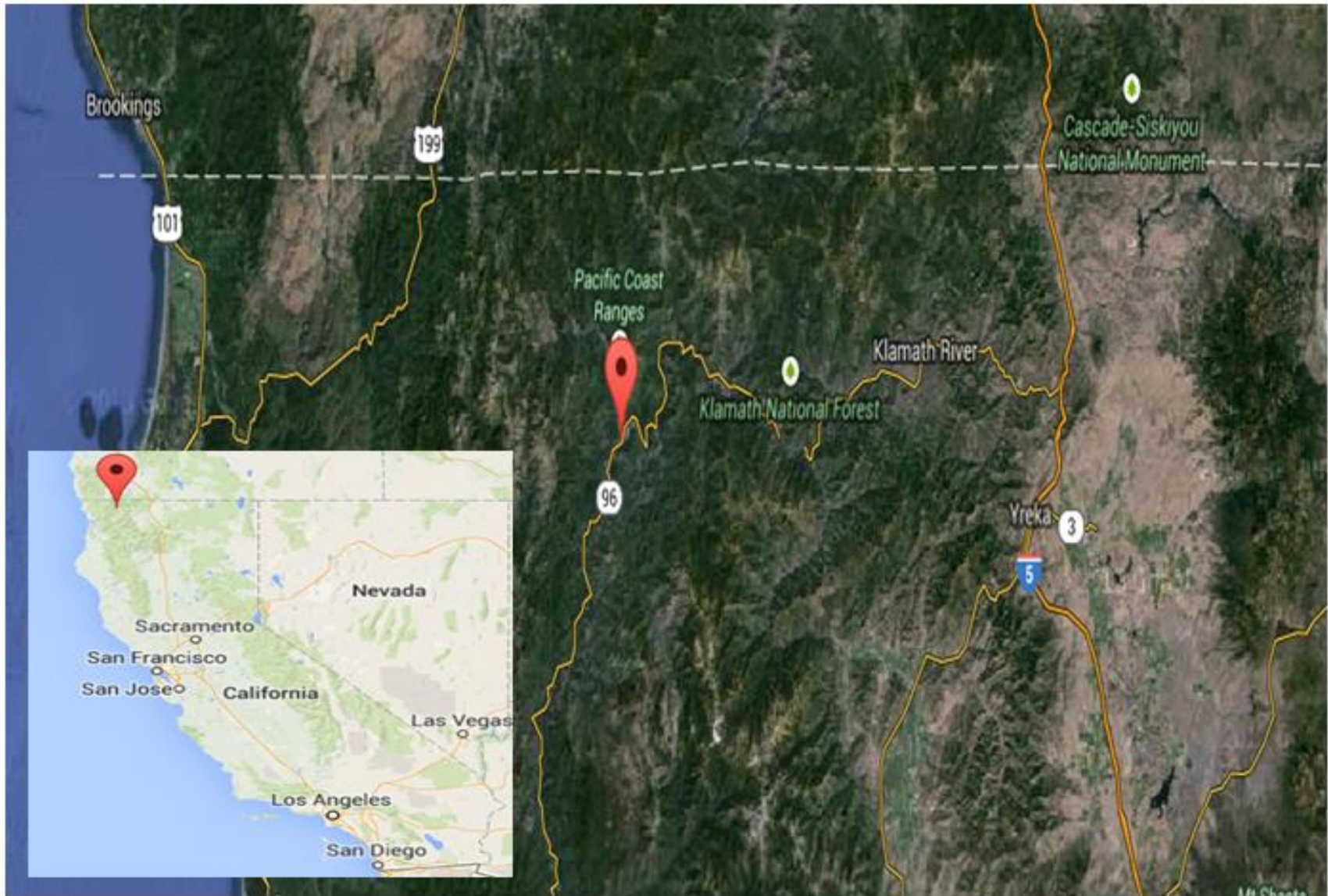
- Siskiyou County EOC activated Level 1
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### **Mission Tasking**

- **2014-IREOC-4568**
- Eight units are in continuing service.
- Due to commencement of school this week at the Klamath site, Unit #29 was relocated on 8/25 to a new site (Seiad Valley) 15 miles west.
- PM levels in the good to hazardous range (>2,400 mg/m3) were recorded intermittently at Happy Camp and Sawyers Bar.
- Other locations have predominantly good to moderate air quality with intermittent unhealthy air quality.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

## Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **July Complex, Siskiyou County**

4 miles southeast of Sawyers Bar

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 09/16/14 at 0559 hours:

FRA

- 50,042 acres, 78% contained
- Type 2 Team in command
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 2 Other Minor Structures
- Patrol and mop up inside the line
- Total Personnel – 190

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## **Recovery**

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working with Siskiyou County on the IDE.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.





# July Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



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- **11,570** acres, 5% contained
- Unified Command with CAL FIRE and El Dorado National Forest
- Threatened Structures: 500 Single Residences
- Fire has spotted and is established on the north side of the American River
- Total Personnel - **1555**

## **Emergency Management**

### **Evacuations**

- There are now 250 mandatory evacuations (communities of Forebay Road area, White Meadows area, Bullion Bend area) and 612 voluntary evacuations (Pollock Pines Blair Road area, Park Creek area, Mosquito Community).

### **Shelters**

- The evacuation shelter at Sierra Ridge Middle School has closed and a new evacuation center was opened at The Seventh Day Adventist Church located at 3520 Carson Road, Camino, CA. Current Population – 10.
- The Animal Shelter in El Dorado County, 511 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA is taking small animals. El Dorado County Animal Services is coordinating placement of large animals on an individual basis.

### **Utilities/Critical Infrastructure**

- Per the California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA), at the request of the Incident Commander, the temporary de-energizing of the El Dorado Irrigation District distribution line has occurred due to life-safety concerns.
- The fire is threatening SMUD and PG & E high voltage lines and El Dorado Irrigation District infrastructure.
- Per CUEA, the threat continues to be closely monitored and the statewide power grid remains stable.
- The El Dorado County Sheriff's public safety radio transmitting tower (Union Hill including two cellular telephone towers) north of highway 50 are in the threatened area. The main tower is approximately 100 foot structure with two additional tower structures in the same footprint.



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado County (Continued)**



### **Schools**

- All Pollock Pine School will remain closed today, 09/16/14.

### **Road Closures**

- Hard Road Closures – Forebay at Pony Express Trail, Forebay at Blair, White Meadow at Ice House Road.
- Per CHP, Hwy 50 is reduced to one lane at Union Hill/Bullion Bend.
- King of the Mountain from Deep Haven Road to Alpine Villa Lane
- Katydid Lane from Canyon Edge Road to Mountain Dew
- Kodiak Trail from Randolph Canyon Road to Dobson Way
- El Camino Drive from Gail Court to Bend Court
- Terrance Drive from Sunshadow Drive to Bullion Bend Road
- Sherman Way Court at Moon Lane
- Cayman Court at Flatlander Lane
- Romer Blvd. at Caprine Hill Drive

### **Activations**

- The El Dorado County EOC is activated at Level 2.
- Cal OES Inland REOC activated to Level 2 as of 0700 this morning in support of the fires burning in Inland Region.
- Cal OES SOC is activated and staffed with the White IST as of 0700 hours this morning.

### **Cal OES Deployments**

- A Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief is assigned to the incident.
- A Cal OES Law Deputy Chief is assigned to the ICP today, 09/15/14.
- A Cal OES Inland Emergency Services Coordinator and a Cal OES Deputy Inland Regional Administrator are present at the El Dorado County EOC today, 09/15/14.
- (2) PSC Technicians are assigned to the incident.

### **Proclamations**

- A Proclamation from El Dorado County has been received proclaiming that a local emergency exists throughout the County due to the King Fire. There are no requests for assistance.

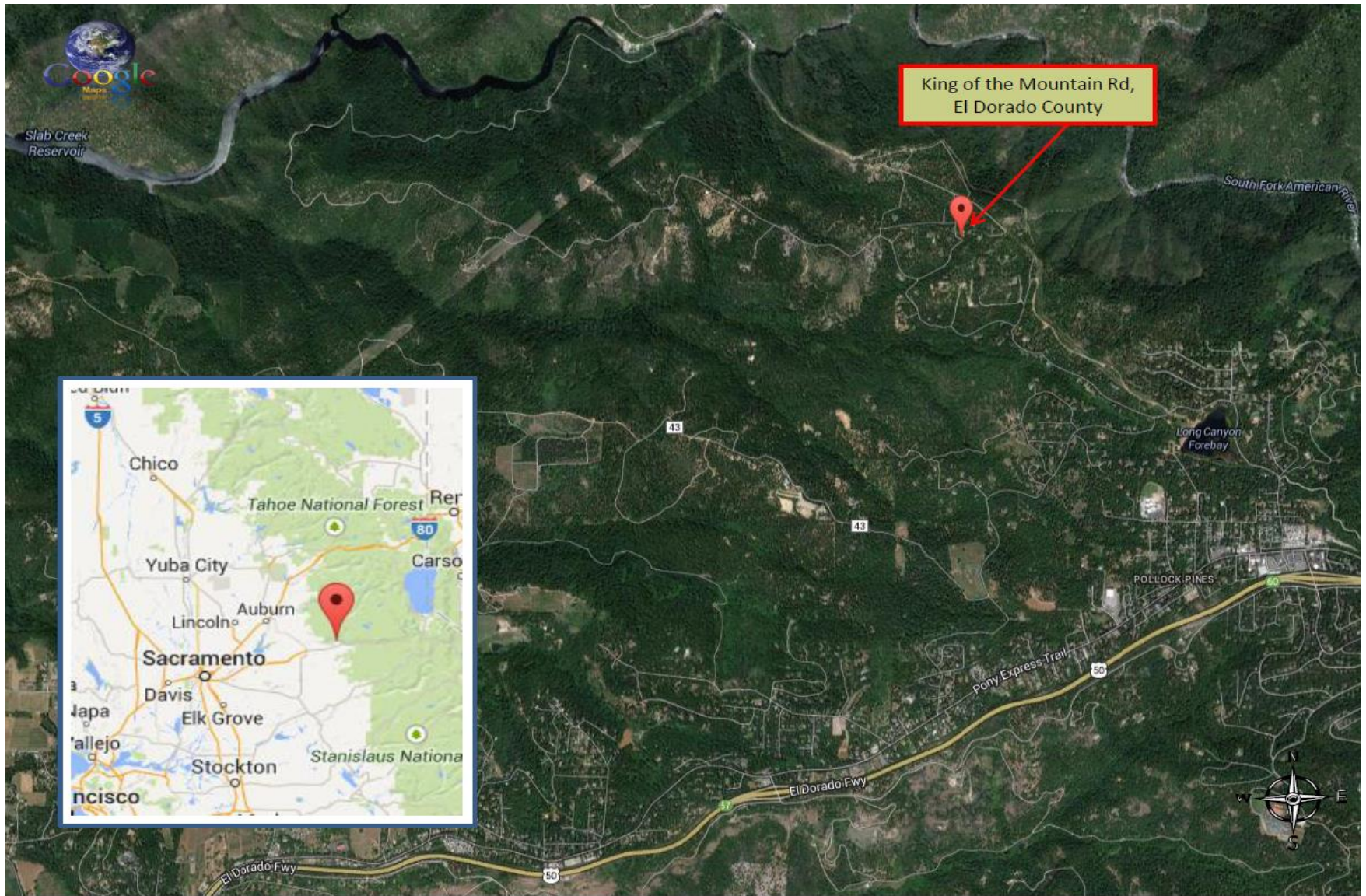
### **Missions**

- 2014-IREOC-5781 – 3 Air monitors supplied by California Air Resources Control Board.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.



## King Incident, Vegetation Fire, El Dorado County



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



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City of Weed, Siskiyou County

SRA

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- CAL FIRE IMT-4 (Durham) has been activated.
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- Destroyed Structures: [150](#) Single Residences
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received by Cal OES and approved by FEMA.
- Total Personnel - [1068](#)

## **Evacuations**

- Per the Siskiyou County Sheriff's Department, evacuation orders have been issued for the communities of Weed, Carrick and Lake Shastina. The number evacuated, or in the process of evacuating, is approximately 1,500 - 2,000.
- Evacuation area includes Weed Elementary School and Weed High School.

## **Shelters**

- [The shelter at Siskiyou County Fairgrounds in Yreka has closed. Evacuees have been relocated to an American Red Cross Shelter established at Yreka High School located at 400 Preece Street, Yreka, CA. Current Population - 150](#)
- An American Red Cross Shelter is established at Mount Shasta High School located at 710 Everett Memorial Highway, Mount Shasta, CA. [Current Population - 15](#)

## **Road Closures**

- [Interstate 5 is closed northbound at the South Weed Exit, and southbound at the South Yreka Exit.](#)
- [Highway 97 is closed from the Junction of Interstate 5 to County Road A-12](#)

## **Utilities/Infrastructure**

- [Per California Utilities Emergency Association \(CUEA\), there are 2,700 customers in the city of Weed without power. Transmission lines and sub-stations south of the city of Weed are intact. Power crews are on scene at CG Roxane and Roseburg Forest Products.](#)
- The City of Weed Police Communications Center has been evacuated. City of Weed 9-1-1 calls are currently being forward to the Siskiyou County Sheriff's Office Dispatch Center with a contingency plan to forward calls to CHP Yreka if fiber lines are burned.



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Boles Incident, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

### **Health and Medical**

- EMSA reported that the Shasta View Nursing Center in Weed evacuated to the Mercy Mount Medical Center in Mount Shasta. Eighteen patients were evacuated. Location: 914 Pine St., Mount Shasta, CA 96067.

### **Mutual Aid Requests**

- Siskiyou County Sheriff's Office requested Law Enforcement Mutual Aid from Shasta County. The request was for 6-12 uniformed officers/deputies to assist in carrying out door to door evacuation orders. Shasta filled the request with 6 Sheriff's Deputies and 6 Redding Police Dept. Officers. As of 1800 hours on 09/15/14, all 12 were en route. Shasta is also assisting Siskiyou with a plan to staff any mutual aid needs for today, 09/16/14. One member of the Shasta group will also assist with overhead planning of future security teams which will be needed once the evacuations stabilize.

### **Cal OES Deployments**

- (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief is en route to the incident.
- (1) Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is deployed to Siskiyou County Sheriff's Office.
- (3) PSC Technicians are assigned to the incident.

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### **Proclamations**

- A Proclamation from Siskiyou County has been received requesting that Cal OES and the Governor find, concur and proclaim Siskiyou County to be in a State of Emergency as a result of the Boles Fire.

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- 320 acres, [40%](#) contained
- Threatened Structures: 400 Single Residences
- Damaged Structures: [4](#) Single Residences, [6](#) Other Minor Structures
- Destroyed Structures: [33](#) Single Residences, [28](#) Other Minor Structures
- The FMAG (Fire Management Assistance Grant) request for the Courtney Fire was approved by FEMA (Declaration Number FM-5078) at 2008 hours on 09/14/14.
- Total Personnel - 563



### **Emergency Management**

#### **Evacuations**

- Per Madera County Sheriff's Department, the evacuation notice for everything north of Recreation Point in Bass Lake (this includes World Mark, Slide Creek, Ridgeline, and Cowboy Trail) has been reduced to an advisory only and residents are allowed back in the area.
- [Approximately 300 homes or 900 people currently evacuated.](#)
- [The evacuation order is lifted for residents who live between Road 426 at Courtney Lane and Road 426 at Suncrest Dr.](#)

#### **Shelters**

- An evacuation center has been established at the Oakhurst Community Center located at 39800 Road 425B. Current Population – [6](#)
- [Small Animals may also be brought to the Oakhurst shelter.](#)
- [Coarsegold Rodeo Grounds is sheltering large animals. Location: 44777 Rodeo Grounds Ln., Coarsegold, CA](#)

#### **Road Closures**

- Roads from Road 426 from Courtney Lane to Bass Lake Road are closed.

#### **Utilities/Critical Infrastructure**

- Per California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA), the threat to PG&E infrastructure is being monitored closely and PG&E is present in the area.
- [Water pump destroyed and holding tank melted in Bass Lake Heights. The County issued a boil water order. SWRCB is working to secure emergency funding for the repairs. The Bass Lake Heights community is currently under an evacuation order.](#)



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Courtney Incident, Vegetation Fire, Madera County**



### **Mutual Aid**

- 09/15/14: A Law Enforcement Mutual Aid (LEMA) request was made to the Region V Regional Mutual Aid Coordinator (RMAC) for 5 one person cars and 1 sergeant.

### **Schools**

- The following schools are closed: Oakhurst Elementary, Oak Creek Intermediate and Wasuma Elementary.

### **Activations**

- Madera County was activated at Level 1 and deactivated at approximately 2000 hours on 09/14/14.
- Cal OES Inland REOC activated to Level 2 as of 0700 this morning in support of the fires burning in Inland Region.
- Cal OES SOC is activated and staffed with the White IST as of 0700 hours this morning.

### **Cal OES Deployments**

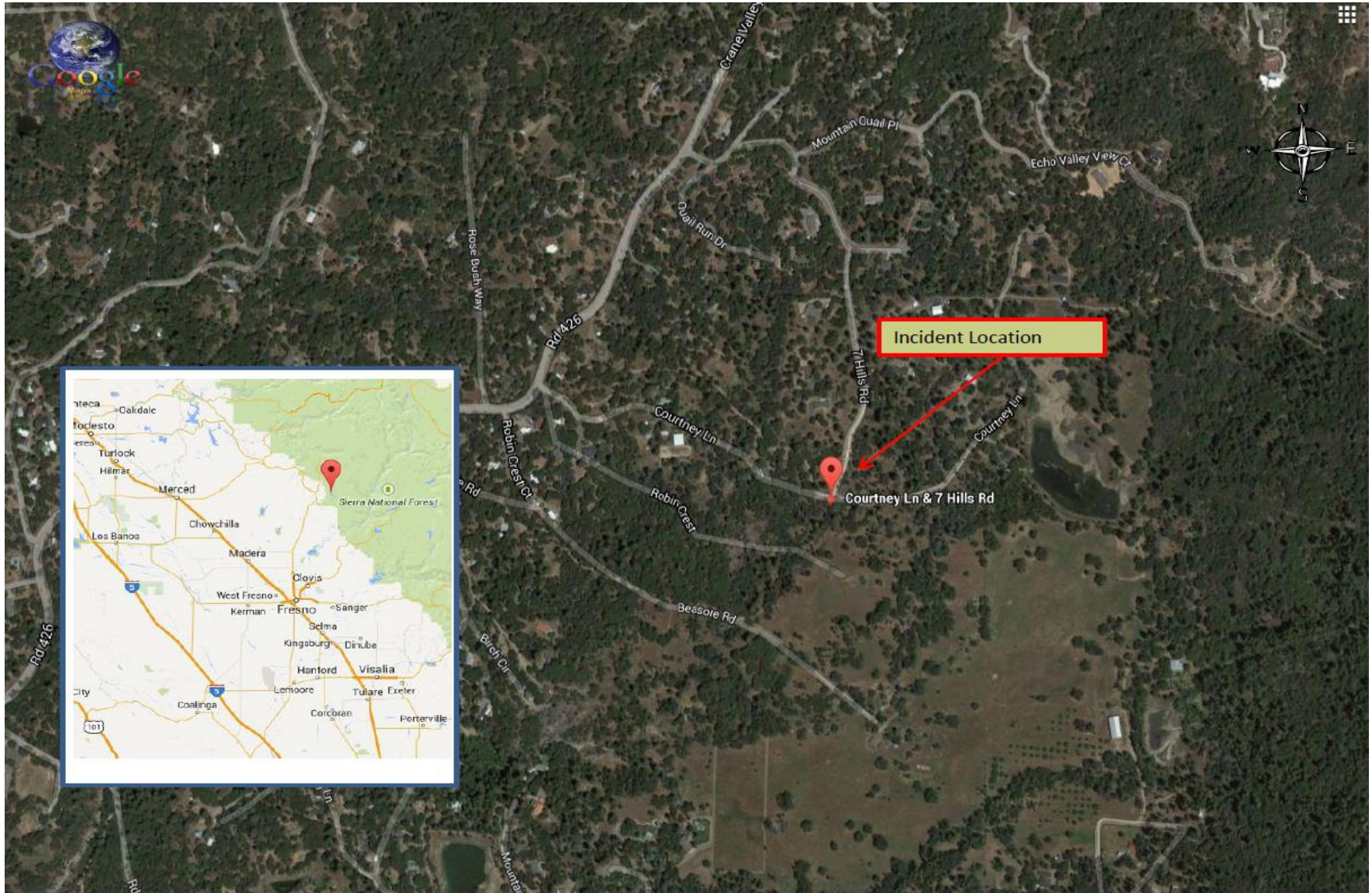
- One (1) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chief is assigned to the incident.

### **Proclamations**

- A Declaration from Madera County has been received proclaiming the existence of a local emergency in Madera County due to the Courtney Fire. In addition, the county is requesting a Cal OES Director and Governor of California Concurrence, and to make available recovery assistance under California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) or any other federal relief programs.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

# Courtney Incident, Vegetation Fire, Madera County



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Magnitude 6.0 Earthquake, American Canyon, Napa County**

### **Recovery**

- Based on a request for additional IA information for the major disaster declaration request, IA teams conducted PDAs 09/8/14 through 09/12/14 in Napa County, the City of Vallejo, and Solano County. Additional IA PDAs are being scheduled for the week of 09/15/14 in Napa County.
- The City of Napa website has information regarding earthquake recovery resources.
- Cal OES Recovery PA is working closely with the Operational Areas to schedule the PA Applicants Briefing to advise state agencies, local governments, and private non-profit organizations impacted by the earthquake the types of assistance available and the programmatic guidelines. Tentative time and location: 09/23/14 at 1000 hours in the Chardonnay Hall, 575 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Napa, CA.
- On 09/04/14, IA participated in a Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC) meeting with key organizations interested in recovery efforts. A follow-up meeting was held 09/05/14, the Napa LTRC is in the process of forming its leadership, establishing policies and procedures, and identifying a Mission statement. A follow up meeting is pending.
- State Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) participated in a Long Term Recovery discussion meeting on Monday, 09/15/14. Participants included several voluntary organizations, state and federal VAL, and leadership from Northern CA and Solano VOAD. A presentation on long term recovery and update on current recovery efforts was provided. Due to the absence of local faith based and other organizations that may have resources, SVOAD will reach out to expand the engagement of additional nonprofit and faith based partners. Once the organizations are identified, a follow up meeting will be held in hopes of identifying key leaders interested in forming a LTR committee.
- American Red Cross Assistance Center: Napa Marriott Hotel opened on 09/01/14 from 1000 to 1900 hours for Napa and Solano County; center will be open for two weeks.
- Local Assistance Center (LAC): County and City of Napa: LAC opened on 09/08/14 at 301 1st Street, Napa (corner of 1st Street and Silverado Trail). The LAC is open until further notice.

### **Mission Tasking**

2014-CREOC-5600: 10 Structural Engineers for City of Vallejo - On Scene

2014-SOC-5712: 6 Caltrans inspectors to inspect over bridges in Napa – On Scene

2014-SOC-5519: CDPH Epidemiological Surveillance - Coordinated

2014-SOC-5630: 20 SAP inspectors for Napa - On Scene

2014-CREOC-5753: 1 Building inspector/engineer for City of American Canyon - On Scene

2014-CREOC-5758: 20 SAP inspectors to assist the City of Napa – Qty: 10 On Scene

2014-CREOC-5772: 8 Building inspectors for the City of Vallejo - On Scene

### **Deployments**

Cal OES staff are deployed to Napa for IA PDA.

# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

## **New Proclamations**

- None

## **Drought Update Report**

- The Drought Brief will be distributing on a bi-weekly basis. The next brief will be on September 15th.



# CAL OES MISSIONS

## New Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-5819**, International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) advised of a SPOT device activation near Dick's Lake in El Dorado County. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources.
- **2014-LAW-5797**, Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) advised of an ALNOT that was elevated to a MISSING AIRCRAFT. Solo pilot flying a Piper P28 that departed from Reid Hillview Airport in San Jose, Santa Clara County, and was en route to Lone Pine Airport in Inyo County. Civil Air Patrol Incident Commander (CAP IC) assigned and attempting to locate aircraft by tracking ELT signals in the Mt. Whitney area of Inyo County. Cal OES LDO coordinating resources to locate missing aircraft. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2014-LAW-5788**, CHP requesting DART for a vehicle in the water in Yolo County. Cal OES LDO contacted DART who advised they were already on scene. At 2000 hours on 09/15/14, DART advised they cleared the scene. The unoccupied stolen vehicle was recovered. **Mission Closed.**



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